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In re Patent Application of
TOKUNAGA et al.

Confirmation No. 4538
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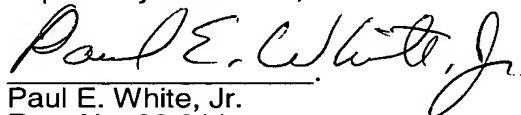
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Response in the above-captioned application. The fee has been calculated as shown below. *(Small entity fees indicated in parentheses.)*

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid For	Extra Claims	Rate	Fee
Total Claims	20	-	20	0	50.00	\$0
<i>(Small Entity)</i>					<i>(25.00)</i>	
Independent claims	1	-	3	0	200.00	\$0
<i>(Small Entity)</i>					<i>(100.00)</i>	
Multiple Dependent	0	-	8	0	360.00	0
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Extension of Time	One Month		Two Months	Three Months	Four Months	
Fee	\$120		\$450	\$1,020	\$1,590	\$0
<i>(Small Entity)</i>	<i>(\$60)</i>		<i>(\$225)</i>	<i>(\$510)</i>	<i>(\$795)</i>	
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Total						\$0

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 24, 2006, please amend the
subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.